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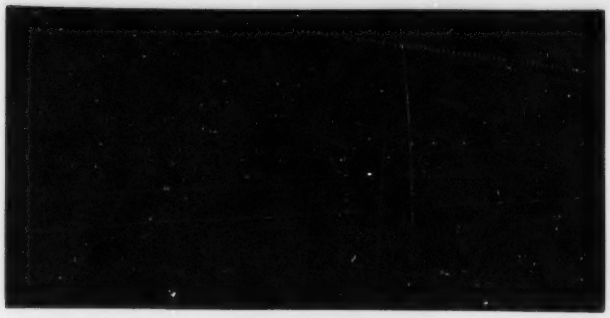

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Preface

This publication was first published in 1987. It was then presenting an analysis of 1985 data. Originally, the intent was to present a condensed version of the overview of the co-operative system in Canada to a wide and diverse public. However, since 1995, this publication was transformed to replace another publication titled "Co-operation in Canada" which had been our main publication for more than 60 years.

Data on co-operatives are presented under the following groups. The non-financial co-operatives are divided in the groups based on the characteristics of the membership: producer, consumer and worker. Credit unions and *caisses populaires* are presented separately even if their membership is made up of consumers.

Methodology:

The statistics used in this publication are based on:

1) reporting by non financial co-operatives to the Canadian Annual Survey on Co-operatives and 2) similar information collected by provincial governments. Because it is not possible to collect information on 100% of the non-financial co-operatives, estimations are used in the case of non-reporting co-operatives that are deemed to be active. The estimations are done only in the case of co-operatives for which we have collected data within the previous five years.

Index Sources for Bar Charts :

Index No. 1	GDP Deflator (1992=100), Statistics Canada.
Index No. 2	Farm Input Price Index, Statistics Canada, Publication 62-004
Index No. 3	Consumer Price Index, Statistics Canada, Publication 62-001

Note: In the tables, the sums of individual items may not equal totals because of rounding.

CO-OPERATIVES IN CANADA

SITUATION - 1998

The 1998 statistics are based on data received from 5,853 non-financial co-operatives reporting over 5.0 million members, a combined volume of business of $29.0 billion and assets of $16.6 billion. These co-operatives also employed nearly 80,000 people of which 75 per cent were full-time employees. Of these co-operatives 974 have an agricultural base and represent 641,363 producers with a combined volume of business of $19.8 billion and assets of $6.7 billion. This also includes data provided by wholesale co-operatives and federations.

Compared with 1997, the number of co-operatives reporting to the 1998 survey increased by 4.3 per cent and total membership was also up by 6 per cent. Volume of business and assets grew by 0.9 per cent and 5.5 per cent respectively. For 1998 co-operatives employee data grew by 9.1 per cent over 1997 figures. The number of agricultural co-operatives reporting was up 5.1 per cent and membership increased by 2.0 per cent. Volume of business and assets of agricultural co-ops were also up by one-half of one per cent and 8.0 per cent respectively.

PRODUCER CO-OPERATIVES

Co-operatives play a crucial role in the agricultural sector of the Canadian economy, especially in farm supply and in the processing and marketing of grains and oilseeds, milk and dairy products, poultry, honey, maple products, fruits, vegetables and livestock.

Agricultural marketing and processing co-operatives are, for the most part, modern enterprises that use the latest technology. Some are even leaders in their industry. For example, AGROPUR and Agrifoods International Cooperative in dairy and Saskatchewan Wheat Pool and Agricore in grains. Altogether, in this sector,they represent a major economic force with a combined volume of business of more than $16.3 billion and assets of $5.2 billion. In 1998, they marketed nearly $13.0 billion in agricultural products in Canada and abroad. (See Table 4.)

The market share of agricultural marketing co-operatives varies from over 64 per cent for dairy products to 4 per cent for egg production. (See Appendix F.)

On the **farm supply side**, co-operatives play an indispensable role in the sale of fertilizers and chemicals, animal feed and machinery such as farm machinery, and provide member co-operatives and producers with seeds and other inputs needed on the farm, including building materials and petroleum products. In 1998, they had a combined volume of business of $3.1 billion virtually unchanged from 1997.

The top ten agricultural co-operatives reported combined revenues of $14.7 billion and assets of $4.7 billion for 1998 an increase of 8 per cent over 1997. Membership rose 13 per cent and they employed over 22,000 persons, a five per cent rise. (See Appendix I.)

In 1998, there were 51 **fishery** co-operatives responding to the survey, one more than 1997. Their situation started to improve as they reported $137.8 million in revenues for 1998, a 16.4 per cent increase compared to 1997. Assets also rose 21.4 per cent to $63.5 million and reported total liabilities almost doubled to $40.1 million for 1998. (See Tables 10 and 11.)

Production co-operatives include **feeder, grazing, agricultural machinery, artificial insemination, forestry and handicraft** co-operatives. Together, the 582 production co-operatives responding to the survey reported a combined volume of business of $924.8 million, an increase of $49 million over 1997. Co-operatives in Quebec and Alberta accounted for nearly 80 per cent of the total volume of business of this group.

In Quebec, revenues were primarily derived from the sale of forest products, while in Alberta, the sale of livestock (cattle and hogs) was by far the primary activity. Saskatchewan has the largest number of production co-operatives, with 213 organizations reporting. Management of grazing operations and farm feeder operations were the two main activities of production co-operatives, with 157 and 140 enterprises respectively, accounting for 51 per cent of all production co-operatives. (See Tables 12 and 13 and Appendix B.)

CONSUMER CO-OPERATIVES

At the local level, **consumer** co-operatives vary in size and sophistication, from small buying clubs, to large supermarket organizations and wholesalers. At these "conventional stores", sales are made in the usual manner and any "surplus" is returned at year's end based on patronage. In 1998, the sales of this group amounted to over $7.1 billion, with food products accounting for over 51 per cent of overall sales. Petroleum products, dry goods and home hardware were the other main types of products sold. (See Table 6.)

In the West, during 1998, the 334 member co-operatives of Federated Co-operatives Limited had total sales of over $2.7 billion, which gave them the strongest co-op presence in any region in Canada. Calgary Co-op Association Ltd. is considered the largest consumer co-operative in North America, with nearly 40 per cent of the local retail market. Sales include food products, hardware, clothing, furnishings, petroleum products and building materials, as well as travel services and pharmaceuticals. Headquartered in Vancouver,British Columbia, Mountain Equipment Co-op (MEC), specializes in the sale of outdoor equipment. It provides a catalogue sales service and operates three stores outside British Columbia, in Toronto, Ottawa and Calgary. In 1998, MEC listed nearly 1.2 million members across Canada and reported a revenues of $130.4 million.

In Atlantic Canada, the 172 member co-operatives of Co-op Atlantic showed sales of over $1.1 billion in 1998 virtually unchanged from year earlier totals.

Although not as large or influential, Quebec and Ontario consumer co-operatives are strong organizations, however they have little penetration in large urban areas.

A number of consumer co-operatives operate as **"direct charge"** co-operatives. In 1998, there were 52 reporting to the survey from across Canada, most of them located in Quebec, New Brunswick and Nova Scotia. They reported a combined volume of business of $373 million with 81,344 members. The concept of the "direct charge" system is that goods are provided to members at cost and a weekly service fee is charged to cover operating costs. Some add a surcharge to build capital for the development of the co-operative.

A more specialized consumer co-operative which emerged in the late 1970's, especially in urban areas, is the **natural health foods (bulk)** co-operative. In addition to retail sales, some of these co-operatives sell goods wholesale to other co-operatives. The majority of these co-operatives are located in Quebec with a few in Ontario and British Columbia. (See Appendix A.)

Student supply co-operatives have gained a strong foothold, especially in Quebec, where over 100 are active. These co-operatives reported a volume of business of nearly $163 million in 1998 with over one million members, most of whom were students. They provide all the various goods students may require, from pens and pencils to course text books. Several operate cafeterias and offer driver education courses. Sales of computer equipment (hardware and software) accounted for approximately three-quarters of the volume of business of these co-operatives. *Cybernétique Technologie*, a subsidiary of the *Fédération des coopératives québécoises en milieu scolaire*,which was sold in 1999, now ranks first among computer assemblers in Quebec, with its "Supra" brand of compatible computers. (See Appendix A.)

Service co-operatives make up the largest number of co-operatives in Canada. In 1998, there were 4,201 service co-operatives responding to the survey, accounting for 72 per cent of all non-financial co-operatives. They reported a combined volume of business of $1.4 billion, virtually the same as year earlier totals.

The largest single area of co-operative activity in the service sector is **housing** co-operatives and since the mid-1970s, they have experienced a significant expansion. In 1998, the 2,118 housing co-operatives reporting had combined assets of nearly $5.7 billion with over 115,000 members. There is also other types of co-operatives that are involved in the housing activities. In 1998, 62 of them reported to the survey. Most of them are co-operative housing resource groups that are involved with development of emerging housing co-operatives. Equity housing co-operatives are involved with the management of common assets. (See Appendix E.)

There are two major types of **child care** co-operatives: day care and nursery school co-operatives. Day care co-operatives are formed by working parents to provide daytime care for their children while they work. Nursery schools are formed with the emphasis on education and social interaction, and also provide parents with time for other pursuits. Child care co-operatives are found in greatest numbers in Ontario, Saskatchewan and Manitoba. In 1998, there were 431 day care and nursery school co-operatives reporting revenues of nearly $51.5 million with over 28,818 members. Most of the revenues, nearly 74 per cent was used to pay salaries and wages.

Health care co-operatives play an important part in the lives of a number of communities across Canada. A report entitled "Co-op/Consumer Sponsored Health Care Delivery Effectiveness" found that this type of health care delivery offers significant economic and other advantages. There is a role for health care co-operatives in helping to maintain the quality of our health care system while still assuring fiscal responsibility.

In 1998, we find 44 health care co-operatives reporting to the survey with nearly 26,000 members, assets of $28.3 million and revenues of $51.8 million.

Community development co-operatives foster local-level leadership skills and full grassroots participation in innovation and solving socio-economic problems. Community development co-operatives are found throughout Canada, but the majority are located in Saskatchewan. In 1998, the 232 development co-operatives reporting had 14,333 members, assets of $17.6 million and revenues of $12.0 million.

Funeral or burial co-operatives find their greatest strength in Quebec, though they have made some in-roads in the Maritimes. In 1998, fifty-six funeral co-operatives reported assets of $76.6 million, nearly a 50 per cent increase from 1996, having more than 149,000 members an increase of ten per cent over 1997.

Water supplying co-operatives are found mainly in Alberta, Quebec and Manitoba and 180 of them responded to the survey in 1998.

Natural gas and rural electric co-operatives are found almost exclusively in Alberta. There were 209 such co-operatives reporting to the survey for 1998 with nearly 119,000 members, assets of $490.1 million and revenues of $139.4 million.

Although **recreational** co-operatives are found in most provinces, they are most prevalent in the West, particularly in Saskatchewan. In 1998, the 292 recreational co-operatives reporting were engaged in various activities, including the management of community centres, skating and curling rinks, golf courses, campgrounds and swimming pools.

Transportation and communication co-operatives, though small in number, are found throughout Canada. (For other service co-operatives, see Appendix C.)

WORKERS' CO-OPERATIVES

During the 1980s, **workers' co-operatives** became more and more common and well established in Canada, especially in Quebec. In 1998 there were 273 workers' co-operatives reporting with a total of 15,905 members. They reported combined revenues of $577.3 million and assets of $329.1 million. They also employed 8,664 persons, with over 91 per cent working full-time. These co-operatives operate in a wide variety of fields, as the following examples show.

Founded in 1960, the *Coopérative Laterrière* is the largest forestry co-operative in Quebec and also the largest workers' co-operative in Canada with a volume of business of $76.7 million in 1998. In fact, this co-operative is the first worker

co-operative to be listed in the Top 50 co-operatives in Canada. Among other things, it operates a sawmill and tree nursery, and exports part of its production, primarily to England. It is owned by its 981 members and employs a total of 400 full-time workers.

In 1998, forestry co-operatives accounted for 73 per cent of the overall volume of business of workers' co-operatives in Canada, that is, a total of $420.9 million. (See Appendix D.)

The *Coop des inséminateurs du Québec*, with a volume of business of over $22 million in 1998, generates the most revenues of non-forestry workers' co-operatives in Canada.

In recent years, a new type of workers' co-operative has been developed in Québec where 96 are active. This new type of co-operative is known as **worker/shareholder co-operative.** Usually, these co-operatives are created when a business is seeking new capital and ask the employees to invest in the business. Then, the employees form a co-operative and buy shares of the business.

These co-operatives are examples of people employing themselves in a productive manner. The rapidly rising interest in workers' co-operatives reflects the tremendous need for jobs and the increasing interest of better educated and more politically conscious people to have more control over their jobs and, consequently, their lives and communities.

Another type of co-operative is also gaining in popularity, the **multi-stakeholder** or **solidarity co-operative** in Quebec. In these co-operatives, the membership is made of different categories of partners; users of the services, employees, community organization. Almost non existent a couple of years ago, there was, by 1998 more than 85 multi-stakeholder co-operatives incorporated, mostly in Quebec. They are providing mainly homecare services to seniors and people with minor health conditions.

CREDIT UNIONS AND CAISSES POPULAIRES

Credit unions and ***caisses populaires*** can be found in all provinces across Canada. In 1998, they reported assets of 110.6 billion, a rise of three per cent compared with 1997. Québec accounts for 50 per cent of the total. For more details about *caisses populaires* and credit unions statistics, see appendices G and H.

For additional data, see the attached tables, figures and appendices. You may also contact the Co-operatives Secretariat (see title page) for all other questions regarding these statistics.

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Associations							- number -								
Consumer	-	36	38	45	85	40	21	221	37	38	9	17	3	590	582
Supply	-	-	9	18	88	17	28	81	3	5	3	2	2	256	257
Marketing	-	-	19	11	7	16	28	60	8	14	4	2	4	173	163
Fishing	-	-	3	3	5	6	1	4	10	8	8	3	-	51	50
Production	-	-	24	85	213	18	22	152	29	28	7	3	1	582	522
Service	-	-	323	498	602	216	848	1 423	73	133	35	34	16	4 201	4 038
Total	**-**	**36**	**416**	**660**	**1 000**	**313**	**948**	**1 941**	**160**	**226**	**66**	**61**	**26**	**5 853**	**5 612**
Membership							- thousands -								
Consumer	-	14	1 289	604	318	97	29	1 143	75	43	21	51	1	3 685	3 439
Supply	-	-	47	133	49	68	38	20	1	6	2	-	-	364	360
Marketing	-	-	5	60	75	36	13	17	2	1	1	-	3	213	203
Fishing	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	2	1	-	2	-	8	7
Production	-	-	2	12	5	1	1	10	3	2	-	-	-	36	34
Service	-	-	32	183	64	46	109	204	14	5	13	2	1	673	655
Total	**-**	**14**	**1 375**	**992**	**512**	**249**	**190**	**1 395**	**97**	**58**	**37**	**55**	**4**	**4 978**	**4 698**
Employees							- number -								
Consumer	-	638	1 761	5 543	3 934	1 319	554	2 993	1 665	2 124	316	495	3 410	24 752	22 377
Supply	-	-	279	1 154	670	346	1 368	1 854	16	82	19	5	136	5 929	5 656
Marketing	-	-	1 892	3 333	4 038	1 329	1 047	12 474	324	1 864	410	21	2 905	29 637	28 663
Fishing	-	-	-	22	2	16	4	192	613	167	660	786	-	2 462	1 963
Production	-	-	313	139	208	28	78	6 181	247	115	4	16	3	7 332	5 693
Service	-	-	378	1 155	1 231	621	2 364	3 498	173	204	110	39	113	9 886	8 969
Total	**-**	**638**	**4 623**	**11 346**	**10 083**	**3 659**	**5 415**	**27 192**	**3 038**	**4 556**	**1 519**	**1 362**	**6 567**	**79 998**	**73 321**
Volume of business							- million dollars -								
Consumer	-	153.2	354.1	994.7	891.3	310.1	212.3	593.2	300.3	151.9	56.1	105.3	3 016.7	7 139.2	7127 8
Supply	-	-	113.6	738.6	195.8	213.7	566.4	674.3	5.5	18.4	4.8	2.3	570.2	3 103.6	3 097 7
Marketing	-	-	350.3	2 311.0	4 326.6	1 635.5	490.5	4 162.6	76.2	414.0	84.9	3.9	2 455.0	16 310.5	16 141 1
Fishing	-	-	.1	1.0	1.0	3.9	.1	7.2	41.0	39.3	45.1	16.1	-	154.8	133 9
Production	-	-	21.9	277.9	57.1	10.8	59.5	444.5	32.5	9.2	.1	.3	11.0	924 8	875 6
Service	-	-	143.1	200.0	63.6	56.7	536.6	315.4	21.3	23.9	4.4	4.9	36.6	1 406.5	1 400 3
Total	**-**	**153.2**	**983.1**	**4 523.2**	**5 535.4**	**2 230.7**	**1 865.4**	**6 197.2**	**476.8**	**656.7**	**195.4**	**132.8**	**6 089.5**	**29 039.4**	**28 776.4**
Assets															
Consumer	-	99.7	141.0	367.3	403.1	147.7	39.8	196.4	85.9	48.9	15.7	35.7	1 146.8	2 728 0	2579 2
Supply	-	-	48.7	289.7	123.9	110.0	215.3	298.4	3.4	7.6	2.0	.6	142.9	1 242.5	1201 4
Marketing	-	-	110.3	829.3	1 525.1	436.3	146.8	1 359.5	20.6	145.9	32.3	1.4	563.1	5 170.6	4695 4
Fishing	-	-	.1	.2	.2	.8	-	1.6	18.4	6.6	23.8	11.8	-	63.5	52 4
Production	-	-	10.7	149.7	54.4	6.5	25.8	269.4	4.4	3.9	.1	.1	1.6	526 6	472 8
Service	-	-	1 043.0	746.2	111.5	186.1	3 414.1	1 087.5	56.9	111.9	16.0	28.4	110.5	6 912 1	6774 2
Total	**-**	**99.7**	**1 353.8**	**2 382.4**	**2 218.2**	**887.4**	**3 841.8**	**3 212.8**	**189.6**	**324.8**	**89.9**	**78.0**	**1 964.9**	**16 643.3**	**15 775.4**

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Volume of business							- million dollars -								
Consumer	-	153.2	354.1	994.7	891.3	310.1	212.3	593.2	300.3	151.9	56.1	105.3	3 016 7	7 139.2	7127 8
Supply	-	-	113.6	738.6	195.8	213.7	566.4	674.3	5.5	18.4	4.8	2 3	570.2	3 103.6	3 097 7
Marketing	-	-	350.3	2 311.0	4 326.6	1 635.5	490.5	4 162.6	76.2	414.0	84.9	3 9	2 455.0	16 310 5	16 141 1
Fishing	-	-	.1	1.0	1.0	3.9	.1	7.2	41.0	39.3	45.1	16.1	-	154.8	133 9
Production	-	-	21.9	277.9	57.1	10.8	59.5	444.5	32.5	9.2	.1	.3	11 0	924 8	875 6
Service	-	-	143.1	200.0	63.6	56.7	536.6	315.4	21.3	23.9	4.4	4.9	36.6	1 406.5	1 400 3
Total	**-**	**153.2**	**983.1**	**4 523.2**	**5 535.4**	**2 230.7**	**1 865.4**	**6 197.2**	**476.8**	**656.7**	**195.4**	**132.8**	**6 089.5**	**29 039.4**	**28 776.4**
Assets															
Consumer	-	99.7	141.0	367.3	403.1	147.7	39.8	196.4	85.9	48 9	15.7	35.7	1 146 8	2 728 0	2579 2
Supply	-	-	48.7	289.7	123.9	110.0	215.3	298.4	3.4	7.6	2.0	.6	142.9	1 242 5	1201 4
Marketing	-	-	110.3	829.3	1 525.1	436.3	146.8	1 359.5	20.6	145.9	32.3	1.4	563.1	5 170 6	4695 4
Fishing	-	-	.1	.2	.2	.8	-	1.6	18.4	6 6	23 8	11 8	-	63 5	52 4
Production	-	-	10.7	149.7	54.4	6.5	25.8	269.4	4.4	3.9	.1	.1	1.6	526 6	472 8
Service	-	-	1 043.0	746.2	111.5	186.1	3 414.1	1 087.5	56.9	111.9	16.0	28.4	110.5	6 912 1	6774 2
Total	**-**	**99.7**	**1 353.8**	**2 382.4**	**2 218.2**	**887.4**	**3 841.8**	**3 212.8**	**189.6**	**324.8**	**89.9**	**78.0**	**1 964.9**	**16 643.3**	**15 775 4**

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Source: Co-operatives Secretariat

Table 2: Volume of business by province of non-financial co-operatives reporting in Canada, 1998

	YK	NT	BC	AB	SK	MB	ON	QC	NB	NS	PE	NF	FED 1/	CANADA	Previous Year
Product marketings							- million dollars -								
Grains	-	-	-	1 114.3	1 851.6	1 014.9	216.9	66.9	0.2	-	-	-	400.0	4 664.8	5 222 1
Oilseeds	-	-	-	-	984.0	-	21.2	-	-	-	-	-	836.5	1 841.7	2 022 4
Fruit	-	-	110.4	-	0.1	-	45.7	2.7	6.4	5.6	0.3	-	-	171.2	157 4
Vegetables	-	-	49.8	15.0	0.2	-	15.5	18.7	4.2	0.4	4.2	-	-	108.0	110 7
Dairy	-	-	63.6	-	-	10.2	228.9	1 835.3	35.1	331.2	77.0	-	1 208.5	3 789.8	3 566 9
Poultry	-	-	-	338.3	-	79.5	-	642.5	0.1	41.5	-	-	-	1 101.9	1 068 3
Eggs	-	-	-	12.0	-	-	-	1.0	-	7.0	-	3.9	-	23.9	23 2
Livestock: Cattle & sheep	-	-	69.5	271.8	535.9	48.2	18.3	45.4	1.2	0.9	0.4	-	-	991.6	880 7
Livestock: Hogs	-	-	-	2.1	1.3	3.4	7.7	788.0	0.2	-	-	-	-	802.7	842 3
Fish	-	-	-	1.0	0.5	3.5	0.1	7.2	36.0	33.2	41.9	14.4	-	137.8	118 4
Forest products	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	403.1	26.6	3.9	-	-	49.6	483.7	465 8
Honey & maple	-	-	-	15.3	0.1	9.3	-	32.2	-	-	-	-	0.2	57.1	50 7
Other	-	12.4	42.3	0.2	3.5	-	38.9	10.9	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.5	2.0	111.2	221 1
Total product marketings	**-**	**12.4**	**336.1**	**1 770.0**	**3 377.2**	**1 169.0**	**593.2**	**3 853.9**	**110.1**	**423.9**	**124.0**	**18.8**	**2 496.8**	**14 285.4**	**14 750.0**
Consumer & supplies															
Food Products	-	99.1	125.9	649.5	538.9	351.0	89.5	419.5	223.8	123.8	39.4	91.8	1 551.7	4 303.9	4 096 9
Dry goods & home hardware	-	14.1	164.4	42.9	71.3	18.4	41.7	43.9	34.0	10.9	3.7	1.0	305.0	751.3	756 9
Other	-	0.3	0.5	77.1	24.0	17.1	56.3	170.1	4.7	0.9	0.1	0.2	10.9	362.2	350 3
Sub-total consumer	**-**	**113.5**	**290.8**	**769.5**	**634.2**	**386.5**	**187.5**	**633.5**	**262.5**	**135.6**	**43.2**	**93.0**	**1 867.6**	**5 417.4**	**5 204.1**
Animal feed	-	-	22.1	34.1	38.0	19.3	125.2	500.7	4.9	23.4	3.8	1.7	156.8	930.0	1 031 2
Fertilizers & chemicals	-	-	4.2	334.6	534.0	259.2	155.7	179.2	0.9	4.2	0.5	0.2	458.5	1 931.2	1 631 1
Seeds	-	-	0.2	59.6	55.8	29.7	28.5	27.9	0.7	1.3	0.3	-	1.3	205.3	157 8
Farm supplies	-	-	14.0	211.1	40.7	11.3	37.5	200.5	2.1	10.7	1.7	0.2	59.8	589.6	519 8
Sub-total agriculture	**-**	**0.0**	**40.5**	**639.4**	**668.5**	**319.5**	**346.9**	**908.3**	**8.6**	**39.6**	**6.3**	**2.1**	**676.4**	**3 656.1**	**3 339.9**
Machinery, vehicles & parts	-	0.5	0.9	1.9	50.4	5.6	0.4	130.1	0.4	0.6	2.8	-	-	193.6	205 7
Petroleum products	-	0.9	112.3	524.4	365.1	187.2	97.6	254.5	32.3	16.4	8.6	6.3	814.8	2 420.4	2 597 9
Building materials	-	-	8.3	49.2	58.9	27.4	11.7	36.1	25.8	0.5	2.1	1.5	110.0	331.5	370 0
Other	-	-	0.8	4.9	2.9	3.3	37.4	3.0	0.9	1.3	1.8	1.2	0.1	57.6	48 7
Sub-total other supply	**-**	**1.4**	**122.3**	**580.4**	**477.3**	**223.5**	**147.1**	**423.7**	**59.4**	**18.8**	**15.3**	**9.0**	**924.9**	**3 003.1**	**3 222.3**
Total consumer & supplies	**-**	**114.9**	**453.6**	**1 989.3**	**1 780.0**	**929.5**	**681.5**	**1 965.5**	**330.5**	**194.0**	**64.8**	**104.1**	**3 468.9**	**12 076.6**	**11 766.3**
Total sales	**-**	**127.3**	**789.7**	**3 759.3**	**5 157.2**	**2 098.5**	**1 274.7**	**5 819.4**	**440.6**	**617.9**	**188.8**	**122.9**	**5 965.7**	**26 362.0**	**26 516.3**
Service revenue	-	20.2	117.1	658.3	265.3	73.2	350.6	347.3	19.9	28.2	3.8	4.3	100.1	1 988.3	1 632 7
Other income	-	5.7	76.2	105.6	112.9	58.9	239.8	30.6	16.3	10.8	2.8	5.6	23.9	689.1	627 5
Total	**-**	**153.2**	**983.0**	**4 523.2**	**5 535.4**	**2 230.6**	**1 865.1**	**6 197.3**	**476.8**	**656.9**	**195.4**	**132.8**	**6 089.7**	**29 039.4**	**28 776 5**

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Source: Co-operatives Secretariat

Table 3: Balance sheet by province of non-financial co-operatives reporting in Canada, 1998

	YK	NT	BC	AB	SK	MB	ON	QC	NB	NS	PE	NF	FED 1/	CANADA
Assets							- million dollars -							
Cash		4.7	50.2	90.4	66.0	46.7	135.5	77.3	7.0	8.9	2.2	2.2	490.8	981.9
Receivables	-	17.7	56.5	551.8	413.6	194.5	166.8	484.6	17.5	40.5	18.9	5.6	465.8	2 433.8
Inventories	-	22.0	64.6	357.7	453.1	172.1	106.2	464.4	30.5	46.7	17.4	7.9	373.1	2 115.7
Other current	-	0.4	7.7	17.8	28.3	14.7	13.5	62.9	2.8	4.8	0.5	1.2	32.4	187.0
Sub-total current	-	**44.8**	**179.0**	**1 017.7**	**961.0**	**428.0**	**422.0**	**1 089.2**	**57.8**	**100.9**	**39.0**	**16.9**	**1 362.1**	**5 718.4**
Investments	-	20.2	93.1	256.5	284.3	109.7	135.7	257.7	27.5	22.1	5.1	7.6	118.3	1 337.8
Property & equipment	-	33.0	1 070.1	1 081.4	843.7	346.1	3 263.4	1 612.3	103.1	198.6	39.4	53.1	395.8	9 040.0
Other assets	-	1.7	11.4	26.8	129.1	3.5	20.8	253.7	1.2	3.2	6.5	0.5	88.7	547.1
Total assets	-	**99.7**	**1 353.6**	**2 382.4**	**2 218.1**	**887.3**	**3 841.9**	**3 212.9**	**189.6**	**324.8**	**90.0**	**78.1**	**1 964.9**	**16 643.3**
Liabilities														
Short-term debt	-	4.7	59.2	350.2	337.0	127.9	148.9	193.7	24.6	27.7	20.1	9.4	344.0	1 647.4
Accounts payable	-	27.6	62.8	273.5	352.0	103.1	145.0	549.0	47.4	58.7	11.5	17.4	516.5	2 164.5
Other current	-	1.3	11.9	56.5	10.9	14.3	37.1	37.7	0.7	8.1	0.2	0.7	30.6	210.0
Sub-total current	-	**33.6**	**133.9**	**680.2**	**699.9**	**245.3**	**331.0**	**780.4**	**72.7**	**94.5**	**31.8**	**27.5**	**891.1**	**4 021.9**
Long-term debt	-	28.8	903.8	411.2	274.9	209.0	3 105.7	1 291.8	70.9	158.4	26.8	37.5	192.7	6 711.5
Deferred credits	-	0.5	3.3	85.9	56.7	33.7	13.0	186.8	0.5	8.2	2.2	1.0	72.2	464.0
Sub-total liabilities	-	**62.9**	**1 041.0**	**1 177.3**	**1 031.5**	**488.0**	**3 449.7**	**2 259.0**	**144.1**	**261.1**	**60.8**	**66.0**	**1 156.0**	**11 197.4**
Members' equity														
Members' loans	-	0.3	24.1	228.8	3.1	107.0	44.3	1.5	8.3	3.8	0.3	2.7	94.6	518.8
Share capital	-	24.0	151.4	369.6	748.8	126.4	50.2	370.4	31.6	39.6	11.4	12.7	505.7	2 441.8
Reserves	-	12.1	86.1	484.6	147.1	137.6	243.5	553.6	23.0	17.1	14.7	7.3	31.0	1 757.7
Undistrubuted surplus	-	0.4	51.0	122.1	287.6	28.3	54.2	28.4	- 17.4	3.2	2.8	- 10.6	177.6	727.6
Sub-total equity	-	**36.8**	**312.6**	**1 205.1**	**1 186.6**	**399.3**	**392.2**	**953.9**	**45.5**	**63.7**	**29.2**	**12.1**	**808.9**	**5 445.9**
Total liabilities & equity	-	**99.7**	**1 353.6**	**2 382.4**	**2 218.1**	**887.3**	**3 841.9**	**3 212.9**	**189.6**	**324.8**	**90.0**	**78.1**	**1 964.9**	**16 643.3**

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Source: Co-operatives Secretariat

Table 4: Volume of business by province of marketing co-operatives reporting in Canada, 1998

	YK	NT	BC	AB	SK	MB	ON	QC	NB	NS	PE	NF	FED [2/]	CANADA
Product marketings								-million dollars-						
Grains	-	-	-	1 112.9	1 848.6	1 015.0	64.2	5.9	-	-	-	-	400.0	4 446.6
Oilseeds	-	-	-	-	983.8	-	10.5	-	-	-	-	-	836.5	1 830.8
Fruit	-	-	110.4	-	-	-	25.6	2.7	2.2	5.6	0.3	-	-	146.8
Vegetables	-	-	49.8	15.0	0.1	-	15.5	11.3	-	0.4	3.8	-	-	95.9
Dairy	-	-	63.7	-	-	10.2	227.9	1 834.9	34.8	331.2	76.9	-	1 208.5	3 788.1
Poultry	-	-	-	338.3	-	79.5	-	633.6	-	41.5	-	-	-	1 092.9
Eggs	-	-	-	12.0	-	-	-	-	-	7.0	-	3.9	-	22.9
Livestock: Cattle & Sheep	-	-	62.5	11.5	490.5	41.1	1.5	45.4	0.5	0.9	0.5	-	-	654.4
Livestock: Hogs	-	-	-	2.1	-	-	7.7	717.9	0.1	-	-	-	-	727.8
Fish	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0
Forest products	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0
Honey & maple	-	-	-	15.3	-	9.3	-	32.2	-	-	-	-	0.2	57.0
Other marketing	-	-	42.0	-	3.1	-	36.4	4.6	-	-	0.1	-	2.0	88.2
Sub-total	**-**	**-**	**328.4**	**1 507.1**	**3 326.1**	**1 155.1**	**389.3**	**3 288.5**	**37.6**	**386.6**	**81.6**	**3.9**	**2 447.2**	**12 951.4**
Consumer & Supplies														
Consumer	-	-	4.6	22.4	195.2	204.1	8.2	32.7	35.0	-	-	-	0.3	502.5
Agricultural	-	-	7.4	303.2	564.6	236.5	65.5	528.7	0.4	21.2	0.1	-	2.3	1 729.9
Other supply [1/]	-	-	0.5	-	37.8	2.1	8.4	287.5	2.7	4.3	2.7	-	-	346.0
Sub-total	**-**	**-**	**12.5**	**325.6**	**797.6**	**442.7**	**82.1**	**848.9**	**38.1**	**25.5**	**2.8**	**0.0**	**2.6**	**2 578.4**
Total sales	**-**	**-**	**340.9**	**1 832.7**	**4 123.7**	**1 597.8**	**471.4**	**4 137.4**	**75.7**	**412.1**	**84.4**	**3.9**	**2 449.8**	**15 529.8**
Service revenue	-	-	6.2	438.0	202.5	25.2	14.6	16.1	0.4	1.2	0.1	-	4.1	708.4
Other income	-	-	3.1	40.4	0.4	12.6	4.5	9.1	0.1	0.7	0.4	-	1.0	72.3
Total	**-**	**-**	**350.2**	**2 311.1**	**4 326.6**	**1 635.6**	**490.5**	**4 162.6**	**76.2**	**414.0**	**84.9**	**3.9**	**2 454.9**	**16 310.5**

1/ includes machinery, vehicles & parts, petroleum, building supplies and other

2/ co-operatives incorporated federally

Source: Co-operatives Secretariat

Table 5: Balance sheet by province of marketing co-operatives reporting in Canada, 1998

	YK	NT	BC	AB	SK	MB	ON	QC	NB	NS	PE	NF	FED [1/]	CANADA
Assets							- million dollars -							
Cash	-	-	3.5	0.8	18.2	21.5	21.2	11.7	-	2.0	0.6	0.1	6.4	86.0
Receivables	-	-	26.5	301.2	313.5	152.0	40.8	308.8	6.6	33.8	10.8	0.9	156.3	1 351.2
Inventories	-	-	12.0	176.0	327.6	115.9	34.7	274.6	3.0	33.5	10.1	0.0	134.5	1 121.9
Other current	-	-	2.2	6.2	13.5	6.5	3.5	24.6	0.4	3.2	0.1	0.1	9.7	70.0
Sub-total current	-	-	**44.2**	**484.2**	**672.8**	**295.9**	**100.2**	**619.7**	**10.0**	**72.5**	**21.6**	**1.1**	**306.9**	**2 629.1**
Investments	-	-	6.4	21.2	77.5	16.2	3.8	124.3	0.7	6.4	0.4	-	4.5	261.4
Property & equipment	-	-	59.0	314.4	648.4	121.7	39.3	467.5	9.9	65.3	9.9	0.3	170.7	1 906.4
Other assets	-	-	0.7	9.5	126.3	2.5	3.5	148.0	-	1.7	0.4	-	81.0	373.6
								148.2						
Total assets	-	-	**110.3**	**829.3**	**1 525.0**	**436.3**	**146.8**	**1 359.5**	**20.6**	**145.9**	**32.3**	**1.4**	**563.1**	**5 170.5**
Liabilities														
Short-term debt	-	-	18.0	164.5	289.8	107.8	18.4	68.9	2.4	19.1	6.7	0.2	108.2	804.0
Accounts payable	-	-	24.7	120.9	296.0	74.6	42.5	385.0	6.0	39.2	6.5	0.3	153.8	1 149.5
Other current	-	-	6.8	0.6	-	2.4	4.1	9.1	-	0.9	-	0.4	6.3	30.6
Sub-total current	-	-	**49.5**	**286.0**	**585.8**	**184.8**	**65.0**	**463.0**	**8.4**	**59.2**	**13.2**	**0.9**	**268.3**	**1 984.1**
Long-term debt	-	-	13.7	181.8	214.9	61.6	11.9	340.1	1.9	41.0	3.4	0.2	157.0	1 027.5
Deferred credits	-	-	1.5	75.6	56.1	25.1	1.8	105.2	-	6.7	1.5	-	11.4	284.9
Sub-total liabilities	-	-	**64.7**	**543.4**	**856.8**	**271.5**	**78.7**	**908.3**	**10.3**	**106.9**	**18.1**	**1.1**	**436.7**	**3 296.5**
Members' equity														
Members' loans	-	-	22.2	141.1	0.6	106.3	7.4	-	0.0	0.4	-	0.0	85.2	363.2
Share capital	-	-	1.4	47.2	457.9	2.8	21.4	204.0	4.7	23.0	2.5	0.0	18.3	783.2
Reserves	-	-	9.9	84.2	0.5	54.5	25.0	230.5	5.2	7.2	10.2	0.1	1.0	428.3
Undistrubuted surplus	-	-	12.1	13.4	209.2	1.2	14.3	16.7	0.4	8.4	1.5	0.2	21.9	299.3
Sub-total equity	-	-	**45.6**	**285.9**	**668.2**	**164.8**	**68.1**	**451.2**	**10.3**	**39.0**	**14.2**	**0.3**	**126.4**	**1 874.0**
Total liabilities & equity	-	-	110.3	829.3	1 525.0	436.3	146.8	1 359.5	20.6	145.9	32.3	1.4	563.1	5 170.5

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Source: Co-operatives Secretariat

Table 6: Volume of business by province of consumer co-operatives reporting in Canada, 1998

	YK	NT	BC	AB	SK	MB	ON	QC	NB	NS	PE	NF	FED 1/	CANADA
Consumer & supplies						-million dollars-								
Food products	-	99.1	102.5	624.0	321.8	132.2	81.0	393.3	189.7	116.3	39.4	91.8	1 444.9	3 636.0
Dry goods & home hardware	-	14.1	160.2	39.6	62.7	15.9	7.9	14.2	29.8	10.2	3.5	1.0	304.7	663.8
Other	-	0.3	0.6	77.1	23.5	17.0	47.9	169.3	4.6	0.4	0.1	0.1	-	340.9
Sub-total consumer	-	**113.5**	**263.3**	**740.7**	**408.0**	**165.1**	**136.8**	**576.8**	**224.1**	**126.9**	**43.0**	**92.9**	**1 749.6**	**4 640.7**
Agricultural	-	-	8.5	36.5	67.1	26.8	26.8	8.6	3.9	7.5	1.7	0.0	212.9	400.3
Petroleum	-	0.9	52.5	118.2	262.9	78.2	17.8	0.9	31.0	9.5	7.9	6.1	814.7	1 400.6
Building materials	-	-	7.2	29.1	55.4	15.9	0.0	3.5	24.2	0.5	2.1	1.5	110.0	249.4
Other supply	-	0.5	0.2	2.6	11.1	3.9	0.0	0.7	1.3	-	-	0.7	0.1	21.1
Sub-total supplies	-	**114.9**	**331.7**	**927.1**	**804.5**	**289.9**	**181.4**	**590.5**	**284.5**	**144.4**	**54.7**	**101.2**	**2 887.3**	**6 712.1**
Product marketings	-	**12.4**	**0.0**	**0.0**	**0.0**	**0.0**	**22.3**	**0.0**	**2.0**	**0.0**	**0.5**	**0.0**	**49.6**	**86.8**
Total sales	-	**127.3**	**331.7**	**927.1**	**804.5**	**289.9**	**203.7**	**590.5**	**286.5**	**144.4**	**55.2**	**101.2**	**2 936.9**	**6 798.9**
Service revenue	-	20.2	2.1	32.9	8.5	2.8	7.7	2.3	4.5	4.0	0.3	0.8	60.8	146.9
Other income	-	5.7	20.3	34.7	78.3	17.4	0.9	0.4	9.4	3.5	0.6	3.2	19.0	193.4
Total	-	**153.2**	**354.1**	**994.7**	**891.3**	**310.1**	**212.3**	**593.2**	**300.4**	**151.9**	**56.1**	**105.2**	**3 016.7**	**7 139.2**

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Source: Co-operatives Secretariat

Table 7: Balance sheet by province of consumer co-operatives reporting in Canada, 1998

	YK	NT	BC	AB	SK	MB	ON	QC	NB	NS	PE	NF	FED 1/	CANADA
Assets							- million dollars -							
Cash	-	4.7	9.0	18.9	17.3	11.6	2.3	17.3	1.1	1.0	0.3	0.6	440.3	524.4
Receivables	-	17.7	9.9	40.2	43.2	15.3	9.2	27.3	2.8	2.2	1.4	0.9	228.2	398.3
Inventories	-	22.0	44.4	61.8	96.3	32.4	13.4	52.2	18.8	9.1	4.1	6.0	221.4	581.9
Other current	-	0.4	1.2	2.8	7.6	5.4	0.5	7.2	1.9	0.5	0.1	0.7	18.7	47.0
Sub-total current	**-**	**44.8**	**64.5**	**123.7**	**164.4**	**64.7**	**25.4**	**104.0**	**24.6**	**12.8**	**5.9**	**8.2**	**908.6**	**1 551.6**
Investments	-	20.2	27.3	88.8	152.3	44.1	1.2	21.1	20.8	10.5	3.4	6.8	54.7	451.2
Property & equipment	-	33.0	49.2	154.7	85.0	38.8	12.8	70.7	40.4	24.5	6.4	20.6	183.5	719.6
Other assets	-	1.7	0.0	0.1	1.4	0.1	0.4	0.6	0.1	1.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	5.6
Total assets	**-**	**99.7**	**141.0**	**367.3**	**403.1**	**147.7**	**39.8**	**196.4**	**85.9**	**48.9**	**15.7**	**35.7**	**1 146.8**	**2 728.0**
Liabilities														
Short-term debt	-	4.7	6.4	8.6	9.6	2.9	8.6	16.2	10.6	4.9	3.2	5.0	182.6	263.3
Accounts payable	-	27.6	22.7	66.9	36.7	13.0	10.8	39.1	36.5	13.8	3.2	15.4	297.6	583.3
Other current	-	1.3	0.7	12.9	5.9	4.1	1.6	9.9	0.3	5.6	0.1	0.2	9.3	51.9
Sub-total current	**-**	**33.6**	**29.8**	**88.4**	**52.2**	**20.0**	**21.0**	**65.2**	**47.4**	**24.3**	**6.5**	**20.6**	**489.5**	**898.5**
Long-term debt	-	28.8	10.8	20.4	6.3	4.0	5.4	31.7	21.0	14.8	2.4	9.7	33.3	188.6
Deferred credits	-	0.5	0.8	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	7.3	0.0	1.1	0.0	0	3.1	13.0
Sub-total liabilities	**-**	**62.9**	**41.4**	**108.9**	**58.5**	**24.0**	**26.5**	**104.2**	**68.4**	**40.2**	**8.9**	**30.3**	**525.9**	**1 100.1**
Members' equity														
Members' loans	-	0.3	1.4	0.0	0.1	0.0	2.0	0	3.2	1.1	0.3	2.1	-	10.5
Share capital	-	24.0	72.7	152.1	214.6	69.3	3.6	41.6	24.1	12.0	5.5	9.4	461.0	1 089.9
Reserves	-	12.1	16.7	72.5	93.8	39.5	5.5	52.0	8.7	2.6	1.5	3.7	6.0	314.6
Undistrubuted surplus	-	0.4	8.8	33.8	36.1	14.9	2.2	- 1.4	- 18.5	- 7.0	- 0.5	- 9.8	153.9	212.9
Sub-total equity	**-**	**36.8**	**99.6**	**258.4**	**344.6**	**123.7**	**13.3**	**92.2**	**17.5**	**8.7**	**6.8**	**5.4**	**620.9**	**1 627.9**
Total liabilities & equity	**-**	**99.7**	**141.0**	**367.3**	**403.1**	**147.7**	**39.8**	**196.4**	**85.9**	**48.9**	**15.7**	**35.7**	**1 146.8**	**2 728.0**

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Source: Co-operatives Secretariat

Table 8: Volume of business by province of supply co-operatives reporting in Canada, 1998

	YK	NT	BC	AB	SK	MB	ON	QC	NB	NS	PE	NF	FED 1/	CANADA
Consumer & supplies								-million dollars-						
Consumer total	-	-	22.8	6.3	30.6	16.6	38.4	23.3	0.8	4.5	0.1	0.1	106.8	250.3
Agricultural supplies														
Animal feed	-	-	21.7	24.5	13.7	14.0	114.1	219.7	2.8	8.3	2.3	1.7	45.5	468.3
Fertilizers & chemicals	-	-	1.1	68.5	16.2	35.8	94.3	57.4	0.3	1.1	0.3	0.2	375.7	650.9
Seeds	-	-	0.0	2.7	-	0.2	19.5	4.8	0.5	0.5	0.3	-	-	28.5
Farm supplies	-	-	-	197.2	6.4	3.5	26.8	88.9	0.6	1.0	1.5	0.2	40.0	366.1
Sub-total agricultural	-	-	22.8	292.9	36.3	53.5	254.7	370.8	4.2	10.9	4.4	2.1	461.2	1 513.8
Other supplies														
Machinery, vehicles & parts	-	-	0.5	1.2	4.4	2.3	0.4	55.1	-	-	-	-	-	63.9
Petroleum	-	-	57.1	406.3	101.9	108.7	70.6	53.9	-	2.4	-	-	-	800.9
Building materials	-	-	1.0	20.0	3.4	11.5	11.7	14.7	0.1	-	-	-	-	62.4
Other	-	-	1.8	0.8	0.1	0.3	0.4	0.2	-	-	0.1	0.1	-	3.8
Sub-total other supplies	-	-	60.4	428.3	109.8	122.8	83.1	123.9	0.1	2.4	0.1	0.1	0.0	931.0
Total consumer & supplies	-	-	106.0	727.5	176.7	192.9	376.2	518.0	5.1	17.8	4.6	2.3	568.0	2 695.1
Product marketings	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.5	3.4	160.7	148.5	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	313.3
Total sales	-	-	106.0	727.5	177.2	196.3	536.9	666.5	5.3	17.8	4.6	2.3	568.0	3 008.4
Service revenue	-	-	0.3	0.2	0.9	0.1	21.8	1.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	-	-	24.7
Other income	-	-	7.3	10.9	17.7	17.3	7.8	6.7	0.1	0.5	-	-	2.2	70.5
Total volume	-	-	113.6	738.6	195.8	213.7	566.5	674.3	5.5	18.4	4.7	2.3	570.2	3 103.6

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Source: Co-operatives Secretariat

Table 9: Balance sheet by province of supply co-operatives reporting in Canada, 1998

	YK	NT	BC	AB	SK	MB	ON	QC	NB	NS	PE	NF	FED [1/]	CANADA
Assets							- million dollars -							
Cash	-	-	3.8	4.0	11.9	2.8	7.5	6.7	0.2	0.3	0.0	0.0	25.8	63.0
Receivables	-	-	6.7	63.6	19.2	18.6	60.9	72.1	0.7	0.9	0.3	0.3	20.5	263.8
Inventories	-	-	4.7	113.1	22.9	21.7	54.7	93.4	0.9	1.9	0.5	0.1	17.1	331.0
Other current	-	-	0.3	2.0	6.5	2.3	1.7	4.5	0.0	0.3	0.1	0.1	3.5	21.3
Sub-total current	**-**	**-**	**15.5**	**182.7**	**60.5**	**45.4**	**124.8**	**176.7**	**1.8**	**3.4**	**0.9**	**0.5**	**66.9**	**679.1**
Investments	-	-	14.2	15.5	49.1	43.8	10.1	38.6	0.4	1.1	0.5	0.0	28.1	201.4
Property & equipment	-	-	15.6	86.4	14.2	20.5	76.6	77.1	1.2	3.1	0.6	0.1	41.0	336.4
Other assets	-	-	3.4	5.1	0.1	0.3	3.8	6.0	-	0.0	-	-	6.9	25.6
Total assets	**-**	**-**	**48.7**	**289.7**	**123.9**	**110.0**	**215.3**	**298.4**	**3.4**	**7.6**	**2.0**	**0.6**	**142.9**	**1 242.5**
Liabilities														
Short-term debt	-	-	2.2	25.8	2.0	5.2	59.9	55.8	0.7	0.8	0.3	0.1	4.3	157.1
Accounts payable	-	-	7.2	43.3	5.9	8.9	43.5	54.5	0.6	1.0	0.1	0.2	58.5	223.7
Other current	-	-	0.3	8.9	2.0	5.8	0.9	6.9	-	1.0	-	-	3.2	29.0
Sub-total current	**-**	**-**	**9.7**	**78.0**	**9.9**	**19.9**	**104.3**	**117.2**	**1.3**	**2.8**	**0.4**	**0.3**	**66.0**	**409.8**
Long-term debt	-	-	6.9	14.1	1.0	4.0	30.1	55.0	0.4	2.1	0.7	-	-	114.3
Deferred credits	-	-	0.2	3.7	-	0	2.3	3.9	0.2	0.0	-	-	57.7	68.0
Sub-total liabilities	**-**	**-**	**16.8**	**95.8**	**10.9**	**23.9**	**136.7**	**176.1**	**1.9**	**4.9**	**1.1**	**0.3**	**123.7**	**592.1**
Members' equity														
Members' loans	-	-	14.2	85.4	0.0	0.6	29.9	1.4	-	0.1	-	-	1.8	133.4
Share capital	-	-	3.4	44.7	71.2	41.7	3.7	30.1	0.6	1.6	0.5	0.2	17.0	214.7
Reserves	-	-	14.3	56.5	27.5	29.2	26.1	80.9	0.8	0.6	0.1	0.1	3.4	239.5
Undistrubuted surplus	-	-	-	7.3	14.3	14.6	18.9	9.9	0.1	0.4	0.3	0.0	- 3.0	62.8
Sub-total equity	**-**	**-**	**31.9**	**193.9**	**113.0**	**86.1**	**78.6**	**122.3**	**1.5**	**2.7**	**0.9**	**0.3**	**19.2**	**650.4**
Total liabilities & equity	**-**	**-**	**48.7**	**289.7**	**123.9**	**110.0**	**215.3**	**298.4**	**3.4**	**7.6**	**2.0**	**0.6**	**142.9**	**1 242.5**

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Source: Co-operatives Secretariat

Table 10: Volume of business by province of fishing co-operatives reporting in Canada, 1998

	YK	NT	BC	AB	SK	MB	ON	QC	NB	NS	PE	NF	CANADA
Product marketings & supplies						-million dollars-							
Fish	-	-	-	1.0	0.5	3.5	0.1	7.2	35.9	33.2	41.9	14.4	137.7
Consumer	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	2.5	3.9	0.1	-	6.7
Supplies	-	-	-	0.0	0.2	0.3	-	-	0.3	2.0	2.5	0.6	5.9
Total sales	**-**	**-**	**0.0**	**1.0**	**0.9**	**3.8**	**0.1**	**7.2**	**38.8**	**39.0**	**44.4**	**15.0**	**150.3**
Service revenue	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.7
Other income	-	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	2.1	0.2	0.6	0.9	3.8
Total	**-**	**-**	**0.0**	**1.0**	**1.0**	**3.9**	**0.1**	**7.2**	**41.0**	**39.4**	**45.1**	**16.1**	**154.8**

Source: Co-operatives Secretariat

Table 11: Balance sheet of fishing co-operatives reporting in Canada, 1996 to 1998

	1996		1997		1998	
Assets	-million dollars-	%	-million dollars-	%	-million dollars-	%
Cash	4.7	*8.9*	4.0	*7.7*	4.1	*6.5*
Receivables	9.9	*18.7*	10.5	*20.1*	14.0	*22.1*
Inventories	9.3	*17.5*	9.0	*17.2*	12.1	*19.1*
Other current	1.4	*2.7*	0.8	*1.6*	0.9	*1.3*
Sub-total current	**25.3**	***47.8***	**24.4**	***46.6***	**31.2**	***49.1***
Investments	10.2	*19.2*	10.9	*20.8*	1.9	*3.0*
Property & equipment	17.2	*32.6*	16.9	*32.3*	23.8	*37.5*
Other assets	0.2	*0.3*	0.2	*0.3*	6.6	*10.3*
Total assets	**52.8**	***100.0***	**52.3**	***100.0***	**63.5**	***100.0***
Liabilities						
Short-term debt	11.1	*21.1*	10.2	*19.5*	17.3	*27.3*
Accounts payable	5.3	*10.0*	4.0	*7.6*	5.1	*8.0*
Other current	0.9	*1.7*	0.6	*1.2*	0.2	*0.4*
Sub-total current	**17.3**	***32.8***	**14.8**	***28.3***	**22.6**	***35.7***
Long-term debt	6.6	*12.5*	5.4	*10.4*	16.0	*25.3*
Deferred credits	1.0	*1.9*	1.3	*2.6*	1.5	*2.3*
Sub-total liabilities	**25.0**	***47.2***	**21.6**	***41.2***	**40.1**	***63.3***
Members' equity						
Members' loans	9.4	*17.8*	8.0	*15.4*	5.6	*8.9*
Share capital	10.5	*19.9*	7.0	*13.4*	7.7	*12.1*
Reserves	7.7	*14.6*	8.3	*15.9*	7.3	*11.5*
Undistrubuted surplus	0.2	*0.5*	7.4	*14.1*	2.7	*4.2*
Sub-total equity	**27.9**	***52.8***	**30.7**	***58.8***	**23.3**	***36.7***
Total liabilities & equity	**52.8**	***100.0***	**52.3**	***100.0***	**63.4**	***100.0***

Source: Co-operatives Secretariat

Table 12: Volume of business by province of production co-operatives reporting in Canada, 1998

	YK	NT	BC	AB	SK	MB	ON	QC	NB	NS	PE	NF	FED 1/	CANADA
Product marketings & supplies						- million dollars-								
Livestock: Cattle & hogs	-	-	7.0	260.4	46.7	7.1	16.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	337.6
Forestry products	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	403.1	26.6	3.5	-	-	-	433.8
Other marketing	-	-	0.3	1.4	3.3	-	3.9	4.9	-	0.3	0.1	0.2	-	14.4
Sub-total product marketings	-	-	**7.8**	**261.8**	**50.0**	**7.1**	**20.4**	**408.0**	**26.6**	**3.8**	**0.1**	**0.2**	**0.0**	**785.7**
Supply sales	-	-	**0.6**	**0.1**	**0.2**	**0.5**	**36.0**	**5.4**	**0.0**	**0.4**	**0.0**	**0.0**	**10.9**	**54.0**
Total Sales	-	-	**8.3**	**261.9**	**50.2**	**7.5**	**56.5**	**413.4**	**26.6**	**4.2**	**0.1**	**0.2**	**10.9**	**839.7**
Service revenue	-	-	13.5	14.5	6.1	3.2	2.5	30.2	5.5	4.4	0.1	0.1	0.0	79.9
Other income	-	-	0.1	1.5	0.8	0.1	0.6	0.9	0.4	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.2	5.2
Total	-	-	**21.9**	**277.9**	**57.1**	**10.8**	**59.5**	**444.5**	**32.5**	**9.2**	**0.2**	**0.3**	**11.0**	**924.8**

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Source: Co-operatives Secretariat

Table 13: Balance sheet of production co-operatives reporting in Canada, 1996 to 1998

	1996		1997		1998	
Assets	-million dollars-	%	-million dollars-	%	-million dollars-	%
Cash	50.4	*11.7*	41.7	*8.8*	46.8	*8.9*
Receivables	178.1	*41.3*	193.2	*40.9*	229.5	*43.6*
Inventories	46.4	*10.8*	53.1	*11.2*	51.5	*9.8*
Other current	19.3	*4.5*	24.6	*5.2*	23.1	*4.4*
Sub-total current	**294.2**	***68.2***	**312.6**	***66.1***	**350.9**	***66.6***
Investments	28.7	*6.6*	38.4	*8.1*	40.0	*7.6*
Property & equipment	98.1	*22.8*	110.3	*23.3*	120.6	*22.9*
Other assets	10.3	*2.4*	11.6	*2.5*	15.1	*2.9*
Total assets	**431.2**	***100.0***	**472.9**	***100.0***	**526.7**	***100.0***
Liabilities						
Short-term debt	171.5	*39.8*	166.4	*35.2*	201.4	*38.2*
Accounts payable	50.6	*11.7*	57.4	*12.1*	68.7	*13.0*
Other current	21.1	*4.9*	24.9	*5.3*	21.8	*4.1*
Sub-total current	**243.1**	***56.4***	**248.7**	***52.6***	**291.9**	***55.4***
Long-term debt	63.2	*14.7*	70.6	*14.9*	76.2	*14.5*
Deferred credits	14.2	*3.3*	18.8	*4.0*	12.4	*2.4*
Sub-total liabilities	**320.6**	***74.3***	**338.2**	***71.5***	**380.6**	***72.3***
Members' equity						
Members' loans	4.4	*1.0*	6.8	*1.4*	3.1	*0.6*
Share capital	45.7	*10.6*	55.0	*11.6*	61.8	*11.7*
Reserves	47.3	*11.0*	46.0	*9.7*	58.0	*11.0*
Undistrubuted surplus	13.3	*3.1*	26.9	*5.7*	23.2	*4.4*
Sub-total equity	**110.7**	***25.7***	**134.8**	***28.5***	**146.1**	***27.7***
Total liabilities & equity	**431.2**	***100.0***	**472.9**	***100.0***	**526.7**	***100.0***

Source: Co-operatives Secretariat

Table 14: Volume of business by province of service co-operatives reporting in Canada, 1998

	YK	NT	BC	AB	SK	MB	ON	QC	NB	NS	PE	NF	FED 1/	CANADA
							-million dollars-							
Service revenue	-	-	94.8	172.8	47.4	41.8	304.2	297.6	9.3	18.3	3.1	3.2	35.1	1 027.5
Other income	-	-	45.5	18.2	15.7	11.4	226.0	13.5	4.2	5.3	1.2	1.5	-	342.4
Sub-total	-	-	140.3	190.9	63.0	53.3	530.1	311.1	13.4	23.6	4.3	4.6	35.1	1 369.9
Marketing & supply sales	-	-	2.8	9.1	0.5	3.4	6.4	4.3	7.8	0.3	0.0	0.3	1.5	36.6
Total	-	-	143.1	200.0	63.6	56.7	536.6	315.4	21.3	23.9	4.4	4.9	36.6	1 406.5

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Source: Co-operatives Secretariat

Table 15: Balance sheet of service co-operatives reporting in Canada, 1996 to 1998

	1996		1997		1998	
Assets	-million dollars-	%	-million dollars-	%	-million dollars-	%
Cash	283.8	*4.2*	242.7	*3.6*	257.3	*3.7*
Receivables	207.0	*3.1*	182.5	*2.7*	177.0	*2.6*
Inventories	13.0	*0.2*	15.8	*0.2*	17.3	*0.3*
Other current	34.3	*0.5*	30.8	*0.5*	25.3	*0.4*
Sub-total current	**538.2**	***8.0***	**471.9**	***7.0***	**476.9**	***6.9***
Investments	381.2	*5.7*	367.6	*5.4*	382.2	*5.5*
Property & equipment	5 754.4	*85.7*	5 843.6	*86.3*	5932.9	*85.8*
Other assets	41.6	*0.6*	91.3	*1.3*	120.1	*1.7*
Total assets	**6 715.4**	***100.0***	**6 774.3**	***100.0***	**6 912.1**	***100.0***
Liabilities						
Short-term debt	199.7	*3.0*	191.8	*2.8*	204.7	*3.0*
Accounts payable	156.3	*2.3*	125.0	*1.9*	134.1	*1.9*
Other current	82.7	*1.2*	86.9	*1.3*	76.4	*1.1*
Sub-total current	**438.7**	***6.5***	**403.7**	***6.0***	**413.2**	***6.0***
Long-term debt	5 195.6	*77.4*	5 245.0	*77.4*	5289.2	*76.5*
Deferred credits	49.0	*0.7*	68.0	*1.0*	83.8	*1.2*
Sub-total liabilities	**5 683.2**	***84.6***	**5 716.7**	***84.4***	**5788.2**	***83.7***
Members' equity						
Members' loans	15.9	*0.2*	13.5	*0.2*	17.0	*0.2*
Share capital	240.9	*3.6*	258.9	*3.8*	273.7	*4.0*
Reserves	669.0	*10.0*	674.2	*10.0*	720.8	*10.4*
Undistrubuted surplus	106.4	*1.6*	111.1	*1.6*	112.4	*1.6*
Sub-total equity	**1 032.1**	***15.4***	**1 057.7**	***15.6***	**1123.9**	***16.3***
Total liabilities & equity	**6 715.4**	***100.0***	**6 774.3**	***100.0***	**6912.1**	***100.0***

Source: Co-operatives Secretariat

Appendix A: Number by activity and province of consumer, supply and marketing co-operatives reporting in Canada, 1998

	YK	NT	BC	AB	SK	MB	ON	QC	NB	NS	PE	NF	FED 1/	CANADA
							-number-							
Consumer														
Direct charge	-	1	5	-	-	-	2	14	15	11	1	3	-	52
Grocery store	-	35	22	21	15	13	10	80	19	22	6	14	2	259
Specialty food store	-	-	2	-	-	1	1	10	-	1	-	-	-	15
Student supplies	-	-	2	-	-	-	1	103	-	-	-	-	-	106
Other consumer	-	-	7	24	70	26	7	14	3	4	2	-	1	158
Sub-total	-	36	38	45	85	40	21	221	37	38	9	17	3	590
Supply														
Agri supply	-	-	3	4	4	10	19	48	3	2	1	2	2	98
Feed mill	-	-	1	-	2	-	8	28	-	3	2	-	-	44
Petroleum	-	-	4	13	81	7	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	109
Other supply	-	-	1	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	5
Sub-total	-	-	9	18	88	17	28	81	3	5	3	2	2	256
Marketing														
Dairy	-	-	1	-	-	1	4	12	1	2	1	-	1	23
Fruit	-	-	9	-	-	-	6	12	4	2	1	-	-	34
Vegetables	-	-	4	1	-	-	2	5	-	1	1	-	-	14
Greenhouse vegetables	-	-	1	-	1	-	2	2	-	1	-	-	-	7
Grains & seeds	-	-	-	1	2	8	5	-	-	-	-	-	1	17
Livestock	-	-	2	7	1	4	6	17	1	3	-	-	-	41
Poultry & eggs	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	1	1	1	-	2	-	7
Honey & maple	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	4	-	1	-	-	1	8
Other marketing	-	-	2	-	3	1	3	7	1	3	1	-	1	22
Sub-total	-	-	19	11	7	16	28	60	8	14	4	2	4	173
Total	-	35	66	74	180	73	77	362	48	57	16	21	9	1 019

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Appendix B: Number by activity and province of production co-operatives reporting in Canada, 1998

	YK	NT	BC	AB	SK	MB	ON	QC	NB	NS	PE	NF	FED [1/]	CANADA
Production							-number-							
Artificial insemination	-	-	-	3	3	1	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	10
Grazing	-	-	-	16	125	1	-	-	5	7	3	-	-	157
Handicraft	-	-	5	2	4	3	8	17	5	6	4	1	-	55
Feeder	-	-	7	61	57	7	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	140
Farm	-	-	1	1	11	2	1	2	-	1	-	-	-	19
Machinery	-	-	-	1	4	1	1	36	1	-	-	-	-	44
Clothing	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	6	-	-	-	-	-	7
Construction	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	8	-	1	-	2	-	13
Other manufacturing	-	-	-	-	1	1	2	11	-	1	-	-	1	17
Tree farming	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	8	2	-	-	-	12
Reforestation	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	6	1	-	-	-	-	11
Forest works	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	57	5	7	-	-	-	71
Saw mill	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	3
Wood processing	-	-	3	-	-	-	1	3	2	2	-	-	-	11
Mining	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Other production	-	-	1	1	6	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	11
Total	-	-	24	85	213	18	22	152	29	28	7	3	1	582

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Source: Co-operatives Secretariat

Appendix C: Number by activity and province of service co-operatives reporting in Canada, 1998

Services	YK	NT	BC	AB	SK	MB	ON	QC	NB	NS	PE	NF	FED 1/	CANADA
							-number-							
Rural electric	-	-	1	137	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	139
Natural gas	-	-	-	68	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	70
Water	-	-	1	92	18	34	2	29	-	4	-	-	-	180
Volunteer fire department	-	-	-	16	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25
Recycling	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	5
Other utility	-	-	-	-	2	1	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	11
Daycare	-	-	-	-	36	23	12	-	2	-	-	1	-	74
Preschool	-	-	-	1	84	26	226	11	3	1	1	4	-	357
Seed cleaning	-	-	2	76	9	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	90
Health clinic & hospital	-	-	-	-	4	1	1	1	1	2	-	-	-	10
Ambulance	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	6
Other health	-	-	1	2	5	1	3	11	-	2	3	-	-	28
Taxi	-	-	-	2	1	-	2	19	-	-	-	1	-	25
Bus	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	4
Freight	-	-	12	-	-	4	8	7	-	2	1	-	-	34
Courier	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2
Other transportation	-	-	1	-	1	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	1	6
Funeral	-	-	-	1	2	-	2	39	4	1	7	-	-	56
Recreational	-	-	9	7	190	33	8	22	19	1	3	-	-	292
Restaurant & hotel	-	-	1	1	1	-	1	22	3	-	1	-	-	30
Housing	-	-	265	59	20	49	522	1 058	23	90	10	23	-	2 119
Equity housing	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Other housing	-	-	11	16	4	3	13	15	-	1	-	-	1	64
Editing & publishing	-	-	1	-	3	-	-	6	1	-	-	-	1	12
Radio,television & cable	-	-	2	-	5	2	1	42	2	-	1	-	-	55
Other communication	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	-	1	-	-	-	9
Farmers' market	-	-	-	-	34	15	-	1	3	1	1	-	-	55
Economic development	-	-	1	2	141	-	1	13	2	7	2	1	2	172
Business services	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	14	-	1	-	-	-	20
Family budget	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21	-	-	-	-	-	21
Other development	-	-	4	1	-	-	3	10	-	-	1	-	-	19
Informatics	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2
Domestic and janitorial	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	6
Soil conservation	-	-	-	-	3	3	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	7
Fine arts & cultural	-	-	1	-	5	1	2	11	4	1	1	2	-	28
Financial	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	1	1	-	-	4	8
Other	-	-	6	15	17	11	30	45	5	16	3	2	7	157
Total	-	-	323	498	602	216	848	1 423	73	133	35	34	16	4 201

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Source: Co-operatives Secretariat

Appendix D: Worker co-operatives reporting in Canada, 1994-1998

	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
			-number-		
Associations reporting	**221**	**223**	**245**	**246**	**273**
Membership	**14 322**	**13 369**	**15 418**	**15 861**	**15 905**
			-million dollars-		
Revenues					
Service revenue	122.9	102.0	111.1	129.3	141.3
Forest marketings	207.4	283.8	337.8	374.6	403.0
Other sales	41.4	43.9	43.9	45.0	29.2
Other income	3.7	20.4	22.9	21.2	3.8
Total revenues	**375.4**	**450.1**	**515.7**	**570.1**	**577.3**
Total assets	**178.9**	**218.8**	**275.6**	**309.6**	**329.1**

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Appendix E: Non-financial co-operatives, summary by province and basic function [1/], 1998

	YK	NT	BC	AB	SK	MB	ON	QC	NB	NS	PE	NF	Canada
Associations reporting						-number-							
Marketing													
Agriculture	-	-	34	74	108	41	39	52	22	16	5	2	393
Fish	-	-	3	3	5	6	1	4	10	8	8	3	51
Forestry	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	61	7	7	-	-	79
Crafts	-	-	5	2	4	3	8	15	5	5	4	1	52
Worker	-	-	4	1	2	4	4	151	5	19	-	4	194
Sub-total	**-**	**0**	**50**	**80**	**119**	**54**	**52**	**283**	**49**	**55**	**17**	**10**	**769**
Consumer													
Food	-	35	27	21	16	14	13	101	34	33	7	17	318
Agriculture	-	-	7	104	157	20	29	113	10	13	6	2	461
Housing	-	-	279	75	24	52	536	1 070	23	91	10	23	2 183
Service	-	1	41	348	532	142	321	253	45	29	24	9	1 745
Other	-	-	13	37	152	34	10	121	3	5	2	-	377
Sub-total	**-**	**36**	**367**	**585**	**881**	**262**	**909**	**1 658**	**115**	**171**	**49**	**51**	**5 084**
Total	**-**	**36**	**417**	**665**	**1 000**	**316**	**961**	**1 941**	**164**	**226**	**66**	**61**	**5 853**
Membership						-thousands-							
Marketing													
Agriculture	-	-	8	71	79	37	15	17	7	1	1	0	235
Fish	-	-	0	0	1	1	0	1	2	1	0	2	8
Forestry	-	-	0	-	-	-	-	5	0	1	-	-	7
Crafts	-	-	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	3
Worker	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	-	0	9
Sub-total	**-**	**0**	**9**	**71**	**80**	**38**	**15**	**31**	**10**	**4**	**1**	**2**	**262**
Consumer													
Food	-	14	62	450	8	17	15	110	69	38	17	51	852
Agriculture	-	-	30	55	11	19	38	18	1	7	2	0	179
Housing	-	-	18	11	2	4	61	25	1	2	0	0	124
Service	-	0	13	139	58	39	49	174	10	3	13	1	499
Other	-	-	1 244	266	354	132	14	1 037	6	5	5	-	3 063
Sub-total	**-**	**14**	**1 368**	**920**	**432**	**211**	**176**	**1 363**	**87**	**55**	**37**	**53**	**4 717**
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Appendix E: Non-financial co-operatives , summary by province and basic function [1/], 1998 *(concluded)*

	YK	NT	BC	AB	SK	MB	ON	QC	NB	NS	PE	NF	Canada
Volume of business						-million dollars-							
Marketing													
Agriculture	-	-	1 573.1	2 586.3	4 378.4	2 884.5	515.3	4 160.4	110.8	414.7	85.0	3.9	16 712.5
Fish	-	-	.1	1.0	1.0	3.9	.1	7.2	41.0	39.4	45.1	16.1	154.8
Forestry	-	-	6.6	-	-	-	-	402.8	5.9	5.6	-	-	420.9
Crafts	-	-	1.0	.0	.4	.1	.5	2.3	.3	.6	.1	.2	5.6
Worker	-	-	8.1	.1	.1	7.0	8.1	119.0	.6	13.1	-	.3	156.5
Sub-total	**-**	**.0**	**1 588.9**	**2 587.5**	**4 380.0**	**2 895.4**	**523.9**	**4 691.7**	**158.6**	**473.5**	**130.2**	**20.5**	**17 450.2**
Consumer													
Food	-	90.5	153.8	736.4	2 422.4	105.8	13.1	394.2	734.2	136.1	33.4	105.3	4 925.2
Agriculture	-	-	60.1	460.5	274.3	116.5	566.4	672.1	5.5	19.7	4.9	2.3	2 182.3
Housing	-	-	127.2	39.1	7.1	25.0	457.2	136.9	7.4	14.5	1.8	3.5	819.7
Service	-	1.7	15.1	139.8	54.6	25.0	104.9	98.1	5.8	1.8	2.5	1.1	450.4
Other	-	-	246.4	899.6	1 031.3	527.7	248.4	204.2	20.2	11.2	22.7	-	3 211.7
Sub-total	**-**	**92.1**	**602.7**	**2 275.4**	**3 789.6**	**799.9**	**1 389.9**	**1 505.5**	**773.1**	**183.3**	**65.3**	**112.3**	**11 589.2**
Total	**-**	**92.1**	**2 191.5**	**4 862.9**	**8 169.6**	**3 695.4**	**1 913.8**	**6 197.3**	**931.7**	**656.8**	**195.5**	**132.9**	**29 039.4**
Assets													
Marketing													
Agriculture	-	-	633.0	968.4	1 571.9	489.3	163.1	1 358.1	27.2	146.3	32.6	1.4	5 391.1
Fish	-	-	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.8	0.0	1.6	18.4	6.6	23.8	11.8	63.5
Forestry	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	233.4	1.2	1.9	-	-	237.1
Crafts	-	-	0.5	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.1	7.3	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.1	8.6
Worker	-	-	1.5	0.0	0.5	2.0	0.5	83.8	0.1	3.4	-	0.2	92.0
Sub-total	**-**	**0.0**	**635.7**	**968.6**	**1 572.9**	**492.1**	**163.6**	**1 684.2**	**46.9**	**158.3**	**56.4**	**13.6**	**5 792.3**
Consumer													
Food	-	78.6	56.0	248.7	990.3	39.6	3.2	144.3	217.9	44.7	9.0	35.7	1 868.0
Agriculture	-	-	21.4	216.7	41.2	69.2	215.3	300.5	3.5	8.5	2.1	0.6	879.0
Housing	-	-	1 032.1	191.9	49.5	137.0	3 306.6	873.2	43.5	107.7	11.8	27.1	5 780.4
Service	-	24.7	10.1	516.9	59.8	43.4	191.0	156.8	10.4	1.9	4.0	1.1	1 020.3
Other	-	-	111.5	369.8	489.6	209.1	49.8	53.8	9.2	3.7	6.7	-	1 303.3
Sub-total	**-**	**103.3**	**1 231.1**	**1 544.1**	**1 630.5**	**498.3**	**3 765.9**	**1 528.6**	**284.5**	**166.5**	**33.6**	**64.5**	**10 851.0**
Total	**-**	**103.3**	**1 866.9**	**2 512.7**	**3 203.4**	**990.4**	**3 929.5**	**3 212.8**	**331.5**	**324.8**	**90.0**	**78.1**	**16 643.3**

1/ Basic function? If the good or service is produced by the members and sold through the co-operative, it is considered marketing.
If the good or service is supplied by the co-operative and sold to the members, it is considered consumer.
The two broad groups are broken into subgroups, or activity, according to overall function.

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Appendix E: Non-financial co-operatives , summary by province and basic function [1/], 1998 *(concluded)*

	YK	NT	BC	AB	SK	MB	ON	QC	NB	NS	PE	NF	Canada
Volume of business						-million dollars-							
Marketing													
Agriculture	-	-	1 573.1	2 586.3	4 378.4	2 884.5	515.3	4 160.4	110.8	414.7	85.0	3.9	16 712.5
Fish	-	-	.1	1.0	1.0	3.9	.1	7.2	41.0	39.4	45.1	16.1	154.8
Forestry	-	-	6.6	-	-	-	-	402.8	5.9	5.6	-	-	420.9
Crafts	-	-	1.0	.0	.4	.1	.5	2.3	.3	.6	.1	.2	5.6
Worker	-	-	8.1	.1	.1	7.0	8.1	119.0	.6	13.1	-	.3	156.5
Sub-total	**-**	**.0**	**1 588.9**	**2 587.5**	**4 380.0**	**2 895.4**	**523.9**	**4 691.7**	**158.6**	**473.5**	**130.2**	**20.5**	**17 450.2**
Consumer													
Food	-	90.5	153.8	736.4	2 422.4	105.8	13.1	394.2	734.2	136.1	33.4	105.3	4 925.2
Agriculture	-	-	60.1	460.5	274.3	116.5	566.4	672.1	5.5	19.7	4.9	2.3	2 182.3
Housing	-	-	127.2	39.1	7.1	25.0	457.2	136.9	7.4	14.5	1.8	3.5	819.7
Service	-	1.7	15.1	139.8	54.6	25.0	104.9	98.1	5.8	1.8	2.5	1.1	450.4
Other	-	-	246.4	899.6	1 031.3	527.7	248.4	204.2	20.2	11.2	22.7	-	3 211.7
Sub-total	**-**	**92.1**	**602.7**	**2 275.4**	**3 789.6**	**799.9**	**1 389.9**	**1 505.5**	**773.1**	**183.3**	**65.3**	**112.3**	**11 589.2**
Total	**-**	**92.1**	**2 191.5**	**4 862.9**	**8 169.6**	**3 695.4**	**1 913.8**	**6 197.3**	**931.7**	**656.8**	**195.5**	**132.9**	**29 039.4**
Assets													
Marketing													
Agriculture	-	-	633.0	968.4	1 571.9	489.3	163.1	1 358.1	27.2	146.3	32.6	1.4	5 391.1
Fish	-	-	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.8	0.0	1.6	18.4	6.6	23.8	11.8	63.5
Forestry	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	233.4	1.2	1.9	-	-	237.1
Crafts	-	-	0.5	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.1	7.3	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.1	8.6
Worker	-	-	1.5	0.0	0.5	2.0	0.5	83.8	0.1	3.4	-	0.2	92.0
Sub-total	**-**	**0.0**	**635.7**	**968.6**	**1 572.9**	**492.1**	**163.6**	**1 684.2**	**46.9**	**158.3**	**56.4**	**13.6**	**5 792.3**
Consumer													
Food	-	78.6	56.0	248.7	990.3	39.6	3.2	144.3	217.9	44.7	9.0	35.7	1 868.0
Agriculture	-	-	21.4	216.7	41.2	69.2	215.3	300.5	3.5	8.5	2.1	0.6	879.0
Housing	-	-	1 032.1	191.9	49.5	137.0	3 306.6	873.2	43.5	107.7	11.8	27.1	5 780.4
Service	-	24.7	10.1	516.9	59.8	43.4	191.0	156.8	10.4	1.9	4.0	1.1	1 020.3
Other	-	-	111.5	369.8	489.6	209.1	49.8	53.8	9.2	3.7	6.7	-	1 303.3
Sub-total	**-**	**103.3**	**1 231.1**	**1 544.1**	**1 630.5**	**498.3**	**3 765.9**	**1 528.6**	**284.5**	**166.5**	**33.6**	**64.5**	**10 851.0**
Total	**-**	**103.3**	**1 866.9**	**2 512.7**	**3 203.4**	**990.4**	**3 929.5**	**3 212.8**	**331.5**	**324.8**	**90.0**	**78.1**	**16 643.3**

1/ Basic function? If the good or service is produced by the members and sold through the co-operative, it is considered marketing.
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The two broad groups are broken into subgroups, or activity, according to overall function.

Appendix F: Co-operatives' market share estimates, 1994-1998

	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
			-per cent-		
Dairy	61	57	59	62	64
Grains and oilseeds (West)	52	55	54	54	51
Poultry	47	47	54	47	47
Honey & maple	23	31	15	29	25
Livestock: Cattle and hogs	22	18	20	18	20
Fruit	16	15	25	15	17
Vegetables	9	8	7	6	6
Fish	6	7	6	5	6
Eggs	4	4	3	4	4

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Appendix G: Credit unions in Canada by province, 1998 [a/]

	BC	AB	SK	MB	ON	QC	NB	NS	PE	NF	Canada
Income statement [b/]					-million dollars-						
Revenues											
Interest: on loans	1 365	247	346	242	794	3 696	156	48	35	24	6 953
on other	17	83	76	104	119		16	13	4		432
Sub-total	**1 382**	**330**	**422**	**346**	**913**	**3 696**	**172**	**61**	**39**	**24**	**7 385**
Other revenue	197	57	60	40	114	456	15	13	7	4	963
Total	**1 579**	**387**	**482**	**386**	**1 027**	**4 152**	**187**	**74**	**46**	**28**	**8 348**
Change from previous year (%)	**12.1**	**12.5**	**10.6**	**14.9**	**4.6**	**1.2**	**17.6**	**21.3**	**70.4**	**0.0**	**5.9**
Expenses											
Interest	701	161	196	181	459	1 590	83	34	39	12	3 456
Other including income taxes	671	187	242	170	492	2 390	87	36	2	14	4 291
Total	**1 471**	**348**	**438**	**351**	**951**	**3 980**	**170**	**70**	**41**	**26**	**7 846**
Change from previous year (%)	**12.6**	**10.5**	**10.9**	**13.6**	**3.5**	**4.9**	**15.7**	**22.8**	**64.0**	**8.3**	**7.6**
Net savings	**108**	**39**	**44**	**35**	**76**	**172**	**17**	**4**	**5**	**2**	**502**
Change from previous year (%)	**6.9**	**34.5**	**7.3**	**29.6**	**20.6**	**- 43.6**	**41.7**	**0.0**	**150.0**	**- 50.0**	**- 14.6**
Balance sheet as at December 1998											
Assets											
Demand & term deposits	2 676	712	1 245	765	1 601	8 702	305	173	31	47	16 257
Other investments	769	461	599	145	1 207	479	12	42	19	2	3 735
Sub-total	**3 445**	**1 173**	**1 844**	**910**	**2 808**	**9 181**	**317**	**215**	**50**	**49**	**19 992**
Loans outstanding											
Mortgage	15 190	2 011	2 400	2 670	7 311	29 940	613	257	79	107	60 578
Non-mortgage	2 329	1 976	2 132	1 503	3 294	15 534	889	369	175	146	28 347
Sub-total	**17 519**	**3 987**	**4 532**	**4 173**	**10 605**	**45 474**	**1 502**	**626**	**254**	**253**	**88 925**
Fixed & other	369	81	114	99	333	747	125	24	30	12	1 934
Total	**21 333**	**5 241**	**6 490**	**5 182**	**13 746**	**55 402**	**1 944**	**865**	**334**	**314**	**110 851**
Change from previous year (%)	**4.4**	**10.7**	**5.3**	**7.1**	**3.0**	**2.2**	**6.0**	**6.0**	**12.8**	**6.1**	**3.6**
Liabilities & equity											
Demand & term deposits [c/]	19 214	4 709	5 845	4 747	12 141	45 340	1 730	800	261	288	95 075
Loans payable	426	141	31	59	26	4 894	52	3	27	6	5 665
Other liabilities	569	89	184	88	290	1 300	39	16	6	5	2 586
Sub-total	**20 209**	**4 939**	**6 060**	**4 894**	**12 457**	**51 534**	**1 821**	**819**	**294**	**299**	**103 326**
Members' equity											
Share capital [d/]	303	475	27	50	590	817	27	5	27	9	2 330
Surplus & reserve	821	- 173	403	238	699	3 051	96	41	13	6	5 195
Sub-total	**1 124**	**302**	**430**	**288**	**1 289**	**3 868**	**123**	**46**	**40**	**15**	**7 525**
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Other revenue	631	710	768	850	963
Total	**7 586**	**8 896**	**8 504**	**7 882**	**8 348**
Change from previous year (%)	**- 0.2**	**17.3**	**-4.4**	**-7.3**	**5.9**
Expenses					
Interest	3 414	4 703	6 980	3 544	3 456
Other including income taxes	3 614	3 622	1 009	3 750	4 291
Total	**7 028**	8 325	**7 989**	**7 294**	**7 846**
Change from previous year (%)	**- 0.8**	**18.5**	**-4.0**	**-8.7**	**7.6**
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Appendix I: Top 10 Agricultural Co-operatives in Canada for 1998

Name of Co-operative	Revenues $'000	Assets $'000	Membership	Employees	Major Activities
Saskatchewan Wheat Pool [a]	4 322 348	1 521 450	74 291	3 988	Grain marketing & processing, livestock marketing, farm supply, printing & publishing
Alberta Wheat Pool [a]	1 875 170	711 766	57 823	1 472	Grain marketing, farm supplies
Coopérative fédérée de Québec	1 833 935	524 166	98[c]	7 448	Wholesaler, farm supplies, petroleum, livestock and poultry processing
Manitoba Pool Elevators [a]	1 472 815	391 092	32 000	798	Grain marketing, farm supplies, livestock auction
Agropur, coopérative agro-alimentaire	1 444 899	497 031	4 832	2 805	Dairy products
Xcan Grain Pool Ltd. [b]	1 240 637	47 540	3[d]	79	Commodities brokerage
Agrifoods International Cooperative Ltd.	1 208 546	513 158	1 774	2 800	Dairy products
United Farmers of Alberta Co-operative Ltd.	587 807	225 457	100 000	841	Petroleum, farm supplies
Lilydale Co-operative Ltd.	350 256	100 670	1 010	1 750	Poultry products, hatchery
Western Co-operative Fertilizers Ltd.	335 783	128 809	3[d]	106	Purchaser and distributor of fertilizer

Total Revenues for, "The top ten agricultural co-operatives in Canada for 1998" is $14.7 billion

a Sales include grain purchased for the account and delivered to the Canadian Wheat Board

b Wholly owned by co-operatives

c Also has 1 315 direct individual members as well as the 98 co-op associations representing over 33 591 individual members

d Member co-op associations representing many thousand individual members

Source: The Top 50 Canadian Co-operatives 1998, Co-operatives Secretariat

Figure 1: Number and Membership of Non-Financial Co-operatives, 1994 - 1998

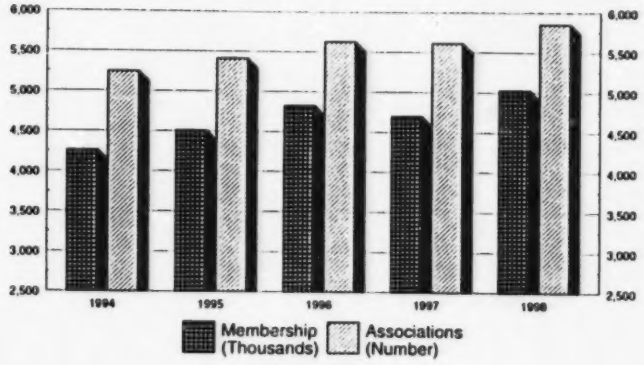
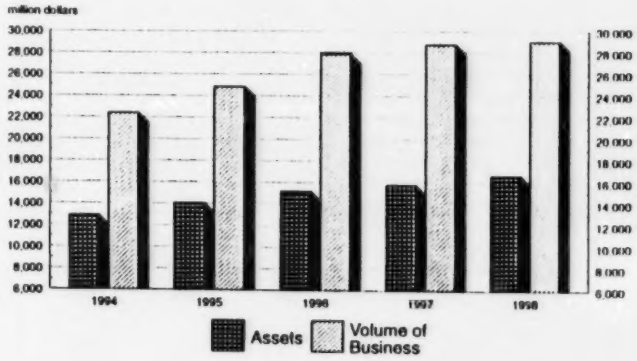


Figure 2: Volume of Business & Assets of Non-Financial Co-operatives, 1994 - 1998



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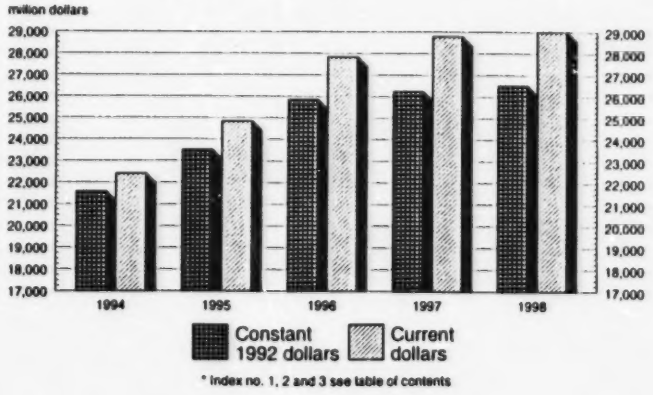

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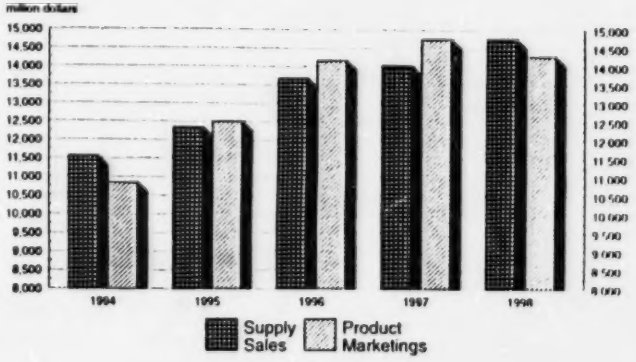
Figure 4: Product Marketings & Supply Sales of Non-Financial Co-operatives, 1994 - 1998



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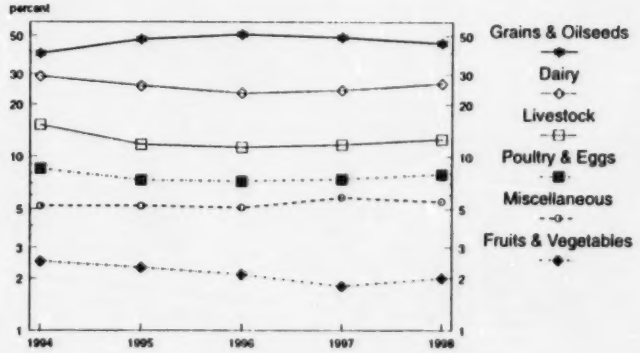

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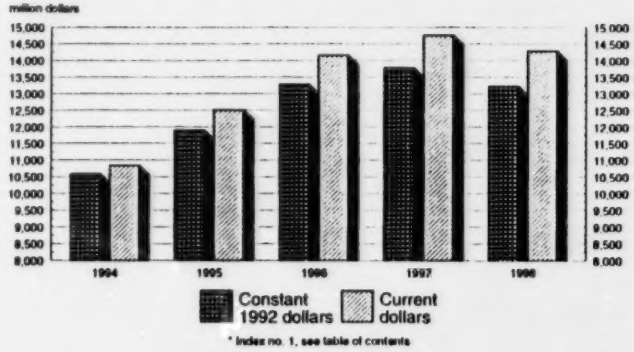

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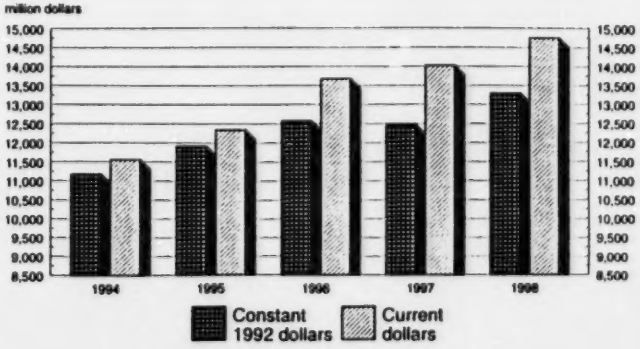

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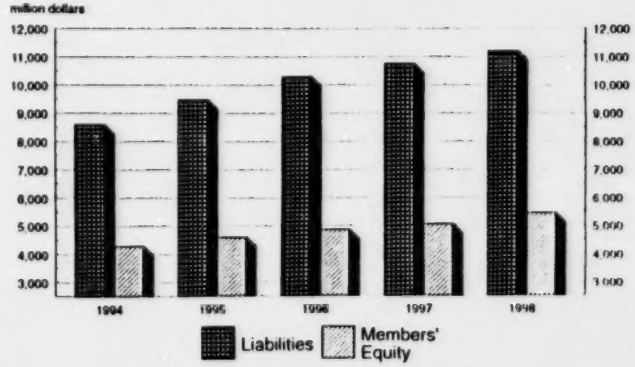

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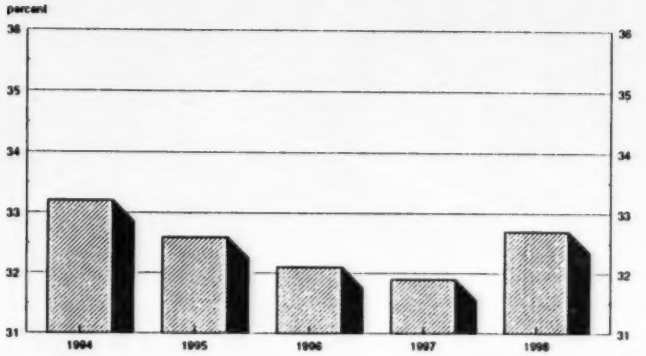

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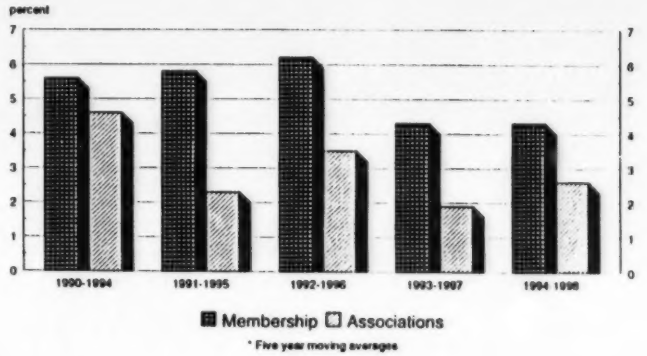

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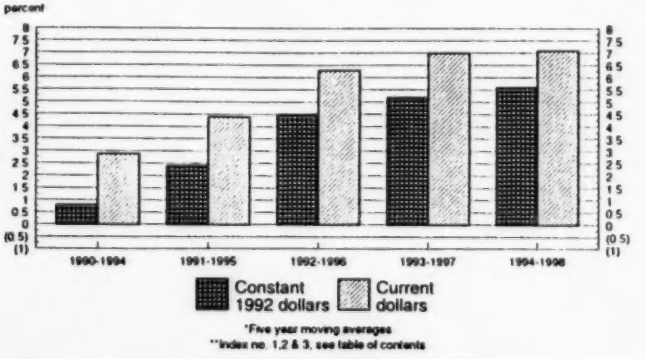

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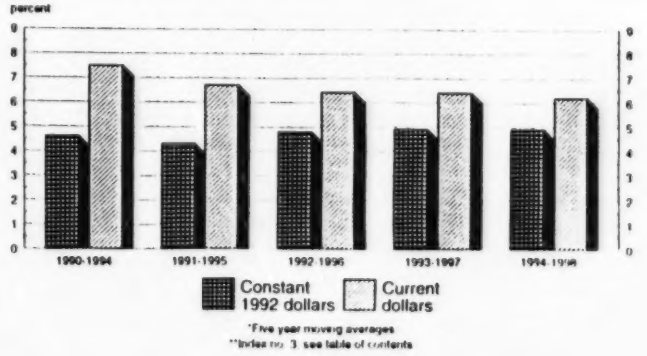

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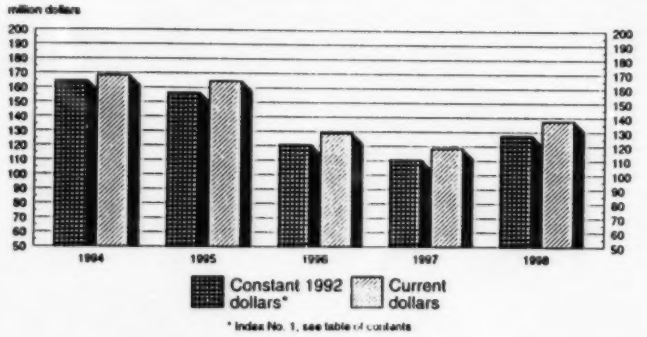

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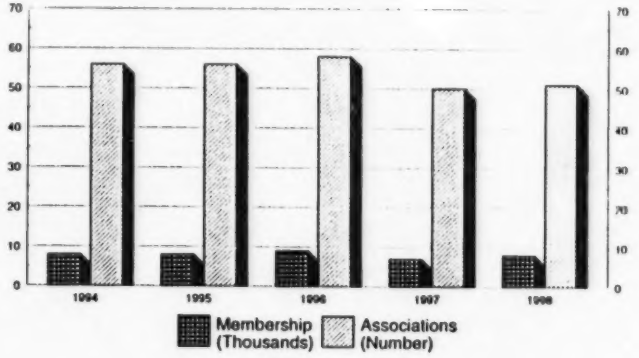

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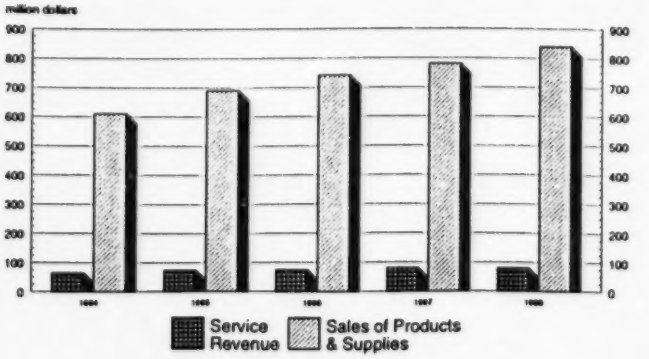

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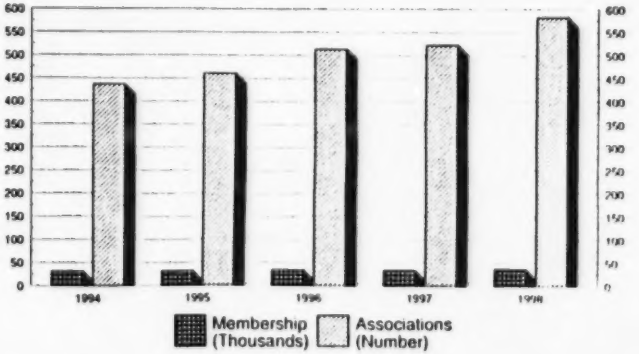

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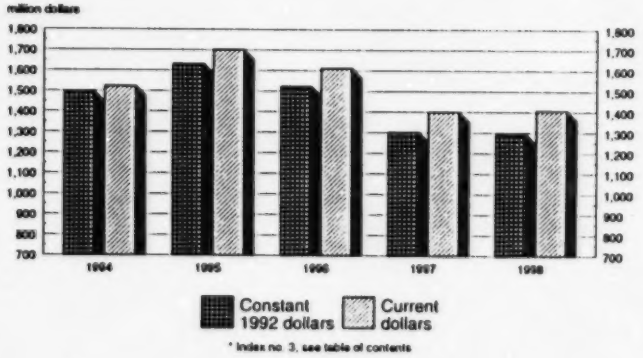

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